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SUBJECT: ITEM 17(H)--CUSTODY OF UNDP FUNDS--25TH UNDP
GOVERNING COUNCIL SESSION

1. THIS ITEM WAS REVIEWED ON 9 JUNE BY THE COUNCIL'S BUDGET AND FINANCE COMMITTEE, WHICH AGREED TO DEFER A DECISION AS TO WHETHER TO SEEK THE NECESSARY UNGA AUTHORITY FOR THE TRANSFER TO UNDP OF THE CUSTODY OF UNDP FUNDS PRESENTLY ENTRUSTED TO THE UN. THE COMMITTEE WILL FURTHER REVIEW THIS MATTER NEXT YEAR WHEN IT WILL HAVE THE BENEFIT OF (I) A FINAL REPORT ON THE OUTCOME OF ONGOING UNDP-UN DISCUSSIONS BASED ON THE UN LETTER TO UNDP OF 18 APRIL 1978, AND (II) THE COMMENTS OF THE ACABQ REGARDING THE MOST EFFICIENT MANNER OF HANDLING FUNDS WHICH ARE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE UNDP ADMINISTRATOR.
2. THE COMMITTEE DEBATE ON THIS ITEM PITTED MAINLY THE SCANDINAVIANS AND CANADIANS (FAVORING TRANSFER OF CUSTODY TO UNDP) AGAINST THE FRENCH, GERMANS AND ITALIANS (SUPPORTING RETENTION OF THE PRESENT SYSTEM OF UN CUSTODY OVER THE FUNDS). THE OUTCOME OF THE DEBATE WAS JUDICIOUS IN THAT IT KEPT THE MATTER OPEN PENDING COMPLETION OF CURRENT UN-UNDP NEGOTIATIONS AND AVAIL-

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ABILITY TO THE COMMITTEE OF ADVICE FROM THE ACABQ.
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